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December 9, 2014

**PARTIES OF RECORD**

RE: Richardsville Gas Company Inc.  
Case No. 2014-00066

Attached is an item which is being filed in the case record of Case No. 2014-00066 APPLICATION OF RICHARDSVILLE GAS COMPANY, INC. FOR AN ADJUSTMENT OF RATES ON AN EMERGENCY BASIS UNDER 807 KAR 5:076, THE COMMISSION'S ALTERNATIVE RATE FILING PROCEDURE, AND FOR A RATE SURCHARGE AND FOR NONRECURRING CHARGES. This letter was filed with the Commission on December 1, 2014 by Joan Miller. The third paragraph of the letter is accepted as the response to ordering paragraph #4 of the final order.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda Faulkner".

Linda Faulkner  
Filings Director

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RICHARDSVILLE GAS CO. INC.  
P.O. Box 9675  
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November 20, 2014

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Commissioners:

In April 2014 Richardsville Gas Co. Inc. agreed to accept the proposal of a rate increased with the hope of keeping it operating and providing the service for the few families in Richardsville, KY. We agreed to this because we had been assured we had gas well producers in the area that were going to let us purchase additional local natural gas production.

The purchase of additional local natural gas has been pursued during the summer months to no avail. The producer owners, due to liability concerns, have decided to not sell us gas. We have additionally tried to sell the pipeline to a couple of larger producers also to no avail.

When winters really cold weather arrives Richardsville Gas will not be able to supply adequate natural gas to our customers. In past years we have peak shaved the natural gas system with propane. That equipment is no longer operable. It is 40 years old and has been failing for the last two winters. To purchase new equipment is far too expensive to be financially feasible.

The enclosed letter is a copy of the letter that has been mailed to all our customers.

Sincerely



Joan Miller